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## NOTATION

$\alpha, \alpha_1, \alpha_2$	– torsional displacement of bridge deck
$a, b, c, d, e, f, l, m$	– variables defining geometry of wing-aileron-tab system
$a_{\alpha}, b_{\alpha}, a_{hd}, b_{hd}, a_{vd}, b_{vd}, a_{hc}, b_{hc}$	– parameters for evaluation of damping
$a_0, a_i (i = 1, \dots, n_{\rho})$	– coefficients of approximation of Theodorsen's function
$a_h$	– distance between the center of rotation of the deck and the end of hanger cable
$A_i (i = 1, \dots, 4)$	– flutter derivatives of aerodynamic moment
<b>A</b>	– state space coefficient matrix
$\beta$	– angular displacement of pendulum; torsional displacement of leading flap
$b, b_1, b_2$	– half chord width of the bridge-flaps system, width of leading and trailing flap
$b_c$	– half of the distance between main cables
$b_i, b_{i,i}$	– lag coefficients of rational function approximation
$B_d, B_1, B_2$	– width of the deck and control surface
$c_1, c_2$	– control gains
$c_h, c_{\alpha}, c_{\beta}, c_{\gamma}$	– damping coefficients of heaving, pitching and flap motions
$C(s)$	– Theodorsen's function
$C_D, C_L, C_M$	– drag, lift, moment steady force coefficient
$C_{Dc}$	– steady drag coefficient of cable
<b>C</b>	– damping matrix
<b>C<sub>a</sub></b>	– matrix of aerodynamic damping
<b>C<sub>a,i</sub></b> ( $i = 1, 2$ )	– matrix of aerodynamic damping of leading and trailing surface
<b>C<sub>a</sub><sup>e</sup></b>	– element aerodynamic damping matrix
<b>C<sub>s</sub></b>	– matrix of structural damping
<b>C<sub>sh<sub>d</sub></sub><sup>e</sup>, C<sub>sv<sub>d</sub></sub><sup>e</sup>, C<sub>s<math>\alpha</math></sub><sup>e</sup>, C<sub>sh<sub>c</sub></sub><sup>e</sup></b>	– damping matrices corresponding to horizontal, vertical, torsional displacement of the deck and motion of main cables
$d, d_1, d_2$	– places of connection of surfaces to the pendulum
$d_c$	– diameter of main cables
$D(C(k), \tilde{C}(k))$	– distance between points of curves $C(k)$ and $\tilde{C}(k)$
$D_c$	– drag force on main cable
$D_d, D_1, D_2$	– drag force on bridge deck and control surfaces
$D_r, L_r, M_r$	– relative drag, lift and moment force
<b>D</b>	– matrix of rational function approximation of deck forces
<b>D<sub>1,i</sub></b> ( $i = 1, 2$ )	– matrix of rational function approximation of surfaces forces
<b>D<sub>sec</sub><sup>e</sup>, D<sup>e</sup></b>	– global coefficient matrices of rational function approximation
$\varepsilon$	– approximation error
<b>E</b>	– matrix of rational function approximation
$e_1, e_2$	– position of hinge lines of control surfaces with respect to the center of the bridge deck
$e_{c1}, e_{c2}$	– location of the hinges of flaps with respect to the center of gravity of the bridge deck

$\mathbf{E}_{1,i}$ ( $i = 1, 2$ )	– matrix of rational function approximation of surfaces forces
$\mathbf{E}_a, \mathbf{R}_b, \mathbf{E}_b$	– global matrices of coefficients of rational function approximation
$\mathbf{E}_a^e, \mathbf{R}_b^e, \mathbf{E}_b^e$	– matrices of coefficients of rational function approximation for finite element of aerodynamic forces
$\phi$	– relative angle of attack
$\phi_h, \phi_\alpha$	– phases of heaving and pitching motion
$\varphi_{h1}, \varphi_{h2}$	– inclination angles of hanger cables
$\phi_{Lexp}, \phi_{Mexp}$	– phases of experimentally obtained aerodynamic lift and moment
$F$	– dissipation function
$\mathbf{F}$	– total aerodynamic forces acting on the bridge deck
$\mathbf{F}_d, \mathbf{F}_1, \mathbf{F}_2$	– vector aerodynamic forces on deck and control surfaces
$\mathbf{F}_s$	– vector of static aerodynamic forces
$\gamma$	– torsional displacement of trailing flap
$h, h_1, h_2$	– vertical displacement of bridge deck and leading and trailing surfaces
$h_0, \alpha_0, \beta_0$	– amplitudes of excitation of heaving, pitching and rotation of leading flap
$h_d, h_{c1}, h_{c2}$	– horizontal displacement of deck and main cables
$H$	– depth of bridge deck; tension force in main cables
$\Delta H, \Delta H_i$ ( $i = 1, 2, 3$ )	– increment in horizontal tension forces
$H_i$ ( $i = 1, \dots, 4$ )	– flutter derivatives of lift force
$H_n^{(2)}$ ( $i = 1, 2$ )	– Henkel functions
$I$	– mass moment of inertia
$\mathbf{I}$	– identity matrix
$\chi$	– inclination of cable element
$k_h, k_\alpha, k_\beta, k_\gamma$	– stiffness coefficients of heaving, pitching and flap motions
$k_{low}, k_{up}$	– lower and upper bound for approximation of Theodorsen's function
$K, k$	– reduced frequency
$\mathbf{K}_a$	– matrix of aerodynamic stiffness
$\mathbf{K}_{a,i}$ ( $i = 1, 2$ )	– matrices of aerodynamic stiffness of leading and trailing surface
$\mathbf{K}_a^e$	– element aerodynamic stiffness matrix
$\mathbf{K}_b, \mathbf{K}_{cc}$	– stiffness matrices due to supporting system
$\mathbf{K}_{sh}^e$	– cable element structural stiffness matrix due to geometric stiffness of hanger cables
$\mathbf{K}_{sd}^e$	– element structural stiffness matrix
$\overline{\mathbf{K}}_{sc}^e$	– cable element gravity stiffness matrix
$\mathbf{K}_s$	– matrix of structural stiffness
$\mathbf{K}_{sup}$	– stiffness matrix due to supporting beam
$\lambda_i$	– eigenvalues
$\mathbf{L}$	– ordinary matrix differential operator
$L, \tilde{L}_i$ ( $i = 1, 2, 3$ )	– length of cable of $i$ -th span
$L_{0exp}, M_{0exp}$	– amplitudes of experimentally obtained aerodynamic lift and moment
$L_{0th}, M_{0th}$	– amplitudes of lift and moment determined theoretically
$L_d, L_1, L_2$	– lift force on bridge deck and control surfaces

$L_{exp}, M_{exp}$	– experimentally obtained aerodynamic lift and moment
$l_h$	– length of hanger cable
$L_h, M_\alpha, M_\beta, M_\gamma$	– lift and moment forces acting of bridge-flaps system
$L_i (i = 1, 2, 3)$	– lengths of side and main spans
$L_s, U_\ell$	– lower and upper constrains for optimization of lag coefficients
<b>M</b>	– mass matrix
<b>m</b>	– mass per unit length
$M_{\beta 0}, M_{\gamma 0}$	– prestressing moments of control cables
$M_d, M_1, M_2$	– lift force on bridge deck and control surfaces
$\mathbf{M}_a^e$	– element aerodynamic mass matrix
$\mathbf{M}_s^e$	– element structural mass matrix
$M_{ij}, w_{ij}$	– weighting factor of approximation function
$\mathbf{M}_s$	– matrix of structural mass
<b>N</b>	– shape function matrix of structural element
$\mathbf{N}_a$	– shape function matrix for aerodynamic states
$n_\ell$	– number of lag coefficients
$\tilde{\mathbf{N}}_{c1}^e, \tilde{\mathbf{N}}_{c2}^e$	– shape function matrices for cable elements
$p$	– dimensionless Laplace variable
<b>P</b>	– vector of wing-aileron-tab system
$P_i (i = 1, \dots, 4)$	– flutter derivatives of drag force
$\rho$	– air density
<b>Q</b>	– matrix of coefficients of unsteady aerodynamic forces
<b>q</b>	– independent degrees of freedom of deck surfaces system
$\mathbf{q}_1, \mathbf{q}_2$	– vectors of absolute displacements of leading and trailing surfaces
$\mathbf{q}_d$	– vector of deck's displacements
$\mathbf{q}^e$	– vector of element structural degrees of freedom
$\mathbf{q}_a^e$	– vector of nodal aerodynamic states of finite element
$\mathbf{q}_f$	– vector of relative displacements of flaps
$q_h, q_\alpha, q_\beta, q_\gamma$	– displacements of wind-aileron-tab system
$\mathbf{q}_t$	– vector of displacements of wind-aileron-tab system
<b>R</b>	– matrix of lag coefficients; matrix of geometry of wind-aileron-tab combination
<b>r</b>	– global displacement vector structural degrees of freedom
$s$	– Laplace variable
$S_\alpha, S_\beta, S_\gamma$	– first moment of inertia of the deck, leading flap and trailing flap
$\mathbf{S}_1, \mathbf{S}_2$	– coordinate transformation matrices; matrices of geometry of wind-aileron-tab system
$\mathbf{S}_d$	– coordinate transformation matrix
$t$	– time
<b>T, T<sub>q</sub></b>	– coordinate transformation matrix
$T_d^e, T_{c1}^e, T_{c2}^e$	– kinetic energy of structural finite element due to deck and main cables
$T_p$	– period of pendulum
$U$	– mean wind speed
$u_c, h_c, v_c$	– longitudinal, horizontal and vertical displacement of the cable
$U_d$	– divergence wind speed

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$U_f$	– flutter wind speed
$U_r$	– relative wind speed
$\mathbf{V}, \mathbf{V}_1, \mathbf{V}_2$	– matrices of dynamic pressure
$V_c$	– potential energy of cables
$\bar{V}$	– potential energy of cables arising from gravity
$\tilde{V}_c$	– strain potential energy of cables
$V_h^e$	– cable element potential energy due to stiffness properties of hanger cables
$v_d, v_{c1}, v_{c2}$	– vertical displacement of deck and main cables
$V_d^e, V_{c1}^e, V_{c2}^e$	– potential energy of structural finite element due to deck and main cables
$v_i$	– eigenvectors
$\omega$	– circular frequency of oscillation
$x$	– horizontal displacement of bridge deck
$\mathbf{X}$	– vector of global nodal forces
$\mathbf{x}_a$	– vector of aerodynamic states
$x_{c1}, x_{c2}$	– points of connection of control cables to the supporting beam
$\mathbf{x}^e$	– displacement vector of element cross-section
$\mathbf{x}_a^e$	– vector of aerodynamic states of section of bridge deck
$\mathbf{X}_{sec}^e$	– vector of forces of element cross-section
$\mathbf{X}_U^e$	– vector of displacement independent static wind forces
$\xi$	– damping ratio
$y$	– cable deflection